

M.A. IN PHILOSOPHY

General

The Department of Philosophy offers a program of study leading to the degree of M.A. in Philosophy. Its orientation is primarily in the direction of contemporary philosophy, both European and Anglo-American. Training is provided through formal seminars and thesis supervision. Enrollment is small enough to provide the possibility of frequent and meaningful contact between the student and the professors. One of the central aims of this program is to provide the level of rigorous training which should well prepare the student for subsequent work at the doctoral level.

Students may enter one of the two options: Option A: M.A. with Thesis or Option B: M.A. with Research Papers.

Courses are scheduled in the late afternoon and evening to accommodate both full-time and part-time students.

Courses

The graduate courses offered by the Department of Philosophy fall into the following categories:

Topics in History of Philosophy
Topics in Logic & Philosophy of Logic
Topics in Ethics, Political Philosophy, Value Theory
Topics in Epistemology
Topics in Metaphysics
Topics in Philosophy of Science and Philosophy of Social Science
Topics in Contemporary Philosophy
Selected Topics in Philosophy

Admission Requirements

Applicants should hold an honors degree in philosophy or its equivalent. Moreover, they may be required to take up to two prerequisite courses in areas in which they are deemed to be deficient. Candidates who lack the normal entrance qualifications in philosophy may be admitted to a qualifying program which is normally one academic year.

Faculty

Professors

Roger B. Angel, Ph.D.
(McGill)
Stanley G. French, Ph.D.
(Virginia)
Ernest Joos, Ph.D.
(Montréal)
Andrew Kawczak, Ph.D.
(Warsaw), Chairman
Dallas Laskey, Ph.D.
(Harvard)
Désirée Park, Ph.D.
(Indiana)

Associate Professors

M. Mobin Ahmad, Ph.D.
(Chicago)
Christine Allen, Ph.D.
(Claremont)
John Doyle, M.A.
(Montréal)
Edmund Egan, Ph.D.
(Fordham)
Christopher Gray, Ph.D.
(Catholic Univ. of America)
Henry H. Lau, M.A.
(Montréal)
John McGraw, Ph.D.
(Angelicum, Rome)
Vincent McNamara, Ph.D.
(Laval)
Dennis O'Connor, Ph.D.
(St. Louis)
Jack Ornstein, Ph.D.
(California, San Diego)
Martin Reidy, Ph.D.
(Toronto)
Vladimir Zeman, Ph.D.
(Prague)

Assistant Professor

Sheila Mullett, Ph.D.
(Purdue)

Financial Assistance

Students interested in financial assistance in the form of fellowships, teaching assistantships or employment as conference leaders should apply to the department.

Information and Application

Requests for more detailed information and application forms should be addressed to:

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*Applications received by
March 31 will receive priority
consideration.*

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